

Joannes Park

Neighborhood Association

A Neighborhood Publication

1st Edition 2014

What's new in 2014?

What an exciting year it will be! There will be a lot of events going on in the neighborhood, not to mention all the new faces you will see! First and foremost there are new owners to the Green Bay Bullfrogs. We have met with Liz Kern and a few others that are excited and motivated to kick off the 2014 season! The season begins **May 27th at 7:05 p.m.** This will kick off the many events that will be happening in Joannes Park this year. Visit their website at www.greenbaybullfrogs.com

Also, over the past few months we met with many of the organizations and people involved in the activities in Joannes Park. Many exciting events will be happening to include but not limited to:

- ~ **PrideAlive: Jul 12, 2014** (www.newpridealive.com)
- ~ **"Music in the Park" by Joannes Park Neighborhood Association: Aug 16, 2014** (www.facebook.com/JoannesParkNHA or <http://greenbaywi.gov/joannes>)
- ~ **City Stadium Run for Veterans: Sep 6, 2014** (www.citystadiumrun.org)
- ~ **Going Big in the Bay: Oct 4, 2014** (<https://www.facebook.com/pages/City-of-Green-Bay-Skateboard-Competition/135873489790601?ref=hl>)

If you want to be a part of any or all of these events please let us know or contact them at their websites. We are always looking for volunteers to make these events a success!

See you out in the neighborhood for a walk or at one of the many events this year!

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RAFFLE 2014

With many events there is always a cost and the Joannes Park Neighborhood Association is working hard to bring you "Music in the Park" as a fun and free event for all ages! This year we are sponsoring a raffle!!! Many great prizes or a cash option. This will be a great success and we can't wait to see the faces of the winners when we call out their names. The drawing will be held during "Music in the Park" on August 16, 2014 at 5 pm.

Contact us at gbnha.joannes@gmail.com or see us at the many events for tickets.

Only 2,000 tickets will be sold so hurry and get your tickets!



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P.O. Box 84 • Green Bay, WI 54306

2014 "Music in the Park" Raffle
License No: R0032599A-10291

Grand Prize -

Xbox One w/47" TV or \$800

2nd Prize - HP Envy Laptop or \$600

3rd Prize - iPad mini 32GB or \$400

4th Prize - \$200

Drawing

August 16, 2014 - 5:00 PM.

during "Music in the Park" at

Joannes Park in Green Bay, WI

Need Not Be Present To Win

Odds in Winning - 1/2000

Winner has choice of prize or cash listed.

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Our Mission Statement

"The Joannes Park Neighborhood Association's mission is to preserve and enhance the pride in our urban neighborhood through community events and positive interaction with our neighbors.

We will remain steadfast in our pursuit of prosperity and happiness of our neighbors, as well as the safety of our neighborhood. We will maintain a positive and productive partnership with the City of Green Bay, Community Police and other Emergency Services, local businesses, and the residents within our boundaries and in the Greater Green Bay area. We will serve as a forum for all residents and act in the best interests of the neighborhood and the City of Green Bay."

A Message From The JPNA President...



Hello Neighbors,

As I write this the day has reached a whopping 50 degrees! Time to get the shorts out! ;) Even though we had a cold, cold winter it is inevitable that spring will come and the summer will be upon us. With that being said, there is a lot planned for Joannes Park and the neighborhood. We had a successful year in 2013 and we want to keep the momentum going. 2014 will be a fun filled year with many events in the park! We hope to see more neighbors out and hopefully more that want to be a part of the Joannes Park Neighborhood Association. We have a small group of highly motivated Board Members and we want to make that group even bigger, not to mention the attendance at meetings and events as well.

Enjoy the weather especially with spring right around the corner. As soon as the snow is gone you will start seeing green grass and flowers again. It will be a great time to get out and enjoy the fresh air after a long cold winter.

Your neighbor,
Mike Erickson

How can I get involved?

If you are new to the neighborhood or have been here for years you may have wondered how to be involved in your neighborhood association. You may think it might be too much to handle with a busy schedule or you don't know where to begin. First thing, email us or come to a meeting! We can never have enough neighbors in the meetings, at events, or working on projects!

The Joannes Park Neighborhood Association is a group of volunteers and neighbors. Plain and simple. You can be involved a little or a lot. You can attend one event, one meeting, or all of them. The more people we can get out to these events and meetings, the more we will get to know our neighbors. Come out and meet your neighbors.

Also, we have 4 Board Member positions that are vacant. If you would like to be more involved with the process, planning, and administration of a Neighborhood Association then let us know!

We meet monthly for committee meetings (3rd Tues of the month) and for general member's meeting (4th Tues of the month). We also try to walk every Wednesday. Come out and enjoy the weather!

**A message from
Community Police Officer Paul VanHandel**



Well the official first day of summer is Saturday, June 21st. However, we should be experiencing some summer like weather well before that, I hope anyway. Many of us like to attend events like concerts in the park, events on the city deck and farmers market. Not to mention the annual Cellcom and Bellin Marathons. With a lot of events compressed into a few short months it's easy to forget about safety.

If you leave your house for an event even over a short period of time remember to lock your doors if no one else is home. If leaving for the weekend it is always a good idea to have a trusting neighbor keep an eye on your property while you are gone. Leave that person your contact number and the day you plan on returning so they know how to reach you if something happens while you are gone.

If you are out jogging, biking, or just a simple walk with the kids try to wear bright clothing and reflective strips on shirt sleeves at night. Anything that helps you stand out to someone driving is important. Some important facts to consider are that at a city driving speed of 35mph an average driver reaction time to acquire an object and safely stop is approximately 138 feet and 3.6 seconds. After dark, low beam headlights on a motor vehicle only provide usable light for a distance of about 100 feet. The pedestrian fatality rate is 3 times higher at night. Taking simple precautions can make all the difference. I hope everyone has a safe and enjoyable summer. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Paul Van Handel
Community Police, Green Bay
Director, NE Wisconsin Association of
Community Oriented Policing
OFC 448-4337

Local Business Spotlight!



The Green Bay Bullfrogs are all about FUN. The Bullfrogs are under new ownership and we can't wait to start playing baseball this summer. This summer fans can expect to see more promotional events and appearances than ever before. Some of the highlights are two appearances by the ZOOperstars (May 30 and June 25), three post game fireworks shows, appearances by Hacksaw Jim Duggan (June 18) and Mountain Man of Duck Dynasty (August 7). The best nights of summer are ahead of us and we hope to see you all out at Joannes Stadium cheering on Green Bay's team, the Green Bay Bullfrogs.

To learn more about the Bullfrogs visit their website at www.greenbaybullfrogs.com, call the office at [920.497.7225](tel:920.497.7225) or stop by and visit them at their office or Joannes Stadium.

The Bullfrogs are a member of the Northwoods League. The Northwoods League is a summer collegiate wood bat league. The Bullfrogs will play 72 games this summer and will host 36 home games at Joannes Stadium.

Regards in Baseball,
Green Bay Bullfrogs

The Neighborhood in Action!

ACHIEVEMENTS



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HAPPY HOLIDAYS

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/hi'stōrik,-'stär-/ 

adjective

1. famous or important in history, or potentially so.

April, 1920, Mitchell and wife Fannie Joannes gave the city about 40 acres along the East River which became Joannes Park. This came with five conditions to insure that the city manage the park.

1) The donated land would be perpetually used for park purposes.

2) At the time of the transfer, a Park Commission has been or shall be created to accept the gift.

3) The new park property will at all times be subject to the exclusive control of said Park Commission.

4) portion of said premises may be permanently enclosed and utilized for baseball and football grounds and athletic field, playgrounds, picnics and public assemblies, and that permissions may be granted for collecting a reasonable admittance fee.

5) The city would take immediate steps to provide an adequate fund for the proper development and annual maintenance of not less than \$3000.00 for the park.

Part of the donated land was east of the East River (and was known as East Joannes Park); this portion is now in Sullivan Park.

Today's Joannes Park contains approximately 29 acres. The full history of the park are not as simple as this single deed. There is conflicting evidence about the donation's date and the involvement of other members of the Joannes family. The stone monument on the park grounds near the corner of Walnut Street and Baird Street reads Joannes Park Donated Nov. 1919 by Charles, Mitchell, and Thomas Joannes (referring to the brothers who ran a grocery wholesale business which was sold to become what is now Super Value).

There is also a history which entirely precedes the involvement of the Joannes family. During the later 1800s, a horse racetrack occupied the park area plus the grounds of East High School as far north as Cherry Street. In addition to racing, the racetrack grounds in Joannes Park served as the home field of Green Bay's Stars base ball team starting in 1868. These grounds where the city's first sandlot football game was held on September 21, 1895, and at this time known as Washington Park, now part of Joannes Park. The names Hagemeister Park and Hagemeister Field were also used. This area is where East High is now and City Stadium. City Stadium was the home of Green Bay Parkers from 1925 to 1956.

~ article by Shawn Kassien

2014 JPNA Events

May 31, 2014

Park Pride Program Clean-up

June 14, 2014

Brat Fry at Copps on Main Street

July 19, 2014

Park Pride Program Clean-up

July 22, 2014

Elections with Popcorn Social

July 26, 2014

3rd Annual Dog Wash Fundraiser

August 16, 2014

1st Annual "Music in the Park"

August 23, 2014

Brat Fry at Copps on Main Street

September 20, 2014

Park Pride Program Clean-up

Reminder: Events, dates, and/or times can change. Please go to <http://greenbaywi.gov/joannes> for all the current information

Wednesday Walks: We are out there every week unless there is adverse weather! Meet us at 6:30pm at the Community Policing Center. Check out Facebook for updates! www.facebook.com/joannesparknha

Joannes Park Neighborhood Association Leads by Example

By Mayor James Schmitt

Several new projects have taken place in your neighborhood in the last year. The Walnut -Baird Street intersection improvements along with the dedication of the first Little Library in the city are some of the new projects improving the historic Joannes Park Neighborhood.

Last year, the City of Green Bay invested \$395,000 in the Walnut/Baird intersection. By acquiring the corner properties and replacing them with open space allows for a visually appealing and safer intersection. The new traffic lights will be more traffic and pedestrian friendly. Stamped and colored cross walks will allow for greater pedestrian safety for East High School students. Additional stamped and colored bricks have been added to improve the terraces along Walnut traveling east. In addition, decorative light posts are being considered to enhance the aesthetics of the area.



In October of last year, I enjoyed unveiling our first Little Library in front of the Community Police Center. This is the first of twenty eight libraries the city will erect with the assistance of a \$25,000 donation. This program is a great opportunity for neighbors to share books and a great way to encourage children to read. These libraries are stocked with books for all ages so take the opportunity to access books and enjoy a great read.

Once again the Skate Park hosted the 4th Annual “Going Big by the Bay” Skateboard competition and fundraising event. Many skate boarding pros along with live bands, food and enthusiasts joined in the fun. The Park and Recreation Department looks forward to organizing this event for 2014.

Thank you to all of the residents of this area. You help make the City a better place to live.
Best regards,
James J. Schmitt
Mayor of Green Bay

If you are interested in advertising in the Joannes Park Newsletter please contact us at gbnha.joannes@gmail.com . You can reach over 600+ residents in Joannes Park alone. Not to mention we also share the digital copy on the Joannes Park website. Be a part of the community and advertise today!

Business card size advertising: \$20 per edition or \$70 for 4 editions per year paid in full.

Large space (one page is an 8 ½ X 11) is available per edition:

¼ page \$30

½ page \$50

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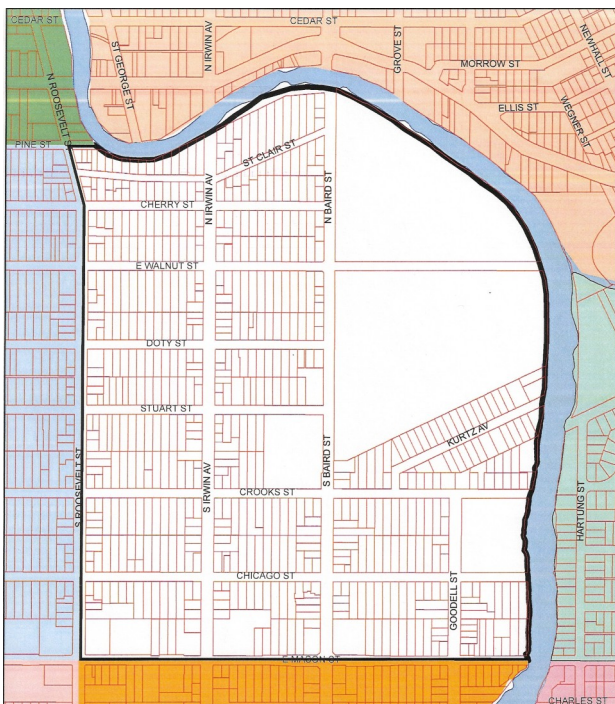
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JPNA Kitchen

"Make over Crunchy Pumpkin Dessert "

by Joy Haupt

Here is a great Holiday dessert for family and friends. This recipe was given to me by another board member. I hope you all enjoy it as much as we do.

- 1 large can pumpkin pie filling
- 1 12oz can evaporated milk
- 3 eggs
- 1 pk of yellow cake mix
- 2/3 cups of pecans or walnuts
- 1 cup melted butter or margarine

In large bowl combine the pie filling, milk, eggs, then beat on med. speed until smooth. pour into 13 by 9 pan. Take cake mix and pecans or walnuts mix together (dry). Then sprinkle over the mix in pan. pour melted butter or margarine over top. bake 350 for 60-65 mins. Cool and garnish with whip topping.

To see your family favorite recipe in the newsletter, send it to gbnha.joannes@gmail.com or normal mail to JPNA, P.O. Box 84, Green Bay, WI 54305 Please put Att. JPNA Kitchen in the subject line/or face of the envelope of all recipes sent in.

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Dear Neighbor,

The unmistakable, undeniable aroma of fresh Green Bay Bullfrogs baseball is in the air. Take in a big, deep whiff- because when we say our 2014 season is fresh, we mean it. This year we are proudly sporting NEW OWNERSHIP and an improved stadium - complete with a new concessions stand, a brand new high visibility net behind home plate to improve sight lines, a re-oriented main entrance and a jammed packed promotional schedule. We've also hired a new field manager, Darrell Handelsman, who in 2004 won the Northwoods League Championship with the Madison Mallards. Handelsman is also second in the league in all time wins with 300.

If you have any questions, please contact us at 920-497-7225. To learn more about the new Bullfrogs, visit us at GreenBayBullfrogs.com. We would love to tell you more about what is going to be the most fun season in Bullfrogs history.

We look forward to seeing you at Joannes Stadium!

Regards in Baseball,

Green Bay Bullfrogs

Bullfrogs will be hosting three fireworks shows this summer, each show will take place after our three Saturday home games (June 28, July 5 and July 12). The Saturday home games will be played at 6:05pm, this will allow for the fireworks show to be done earlier in the evening.

ONE FREE TICKET

Redeem this coupon for ONE FREE TICKET to any 2014 Regular Season Green Bay Bullfrogs Game!

Coupon must be redeemed at the Bullfrogs Office or Ticket Booth. Coupon must be present to receive ticket. No cash value. Based on availability. Good for the 2014 regular season only. Valid for Joannes Neighborhood only.



MAY/JUNE:

☐ AWAY ☒ HOME

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		27 BC 7:05	28 BC 7:05	29 KEN 7:05	30 KEN 7:05	31 @LAC 6:05
1 @LAC 5:05	2 @DUL 6:35	3 @DUL 6:35	4 KAZ 7:05	5 KAZ 7:05	6 @MAD 7:05	7 @MAD 6:05
8 LAK 1:05	9 LAK 7:05	10 LAC 7:05	11 LAC 7:05	12 @WIS 7:05	13 WIS 7:05	14 @KAZ 6:05
15 @KAZ 4:05	16 @BC 6:05	17 @BC 6:05	18 WIS 7:05	19 @WIS 7:05	20 @KEN 7:05	21 @KEN 6:05
22 WIR 3:05	23 @WIR 7:05	24 @WIR 7:05	25 WIR 7:05	26 MAD 7:05	27 MAD 7:05	28 DUL 6:05
29 DUL 3:05	30* WIS 12:05 @WIS 7:05	*June 30 is a SPLIT double header played at both ballparks.				

JULY:

☐ AWAY ☒ HOME

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 OFF	2 @LAC 7:05	3 @LAC 7:05	4 STC 3:05	5 STC 6:05
6 @LAK 5:05	7 @LAK 6:35	8 KAZ 7:05	9 KAZ 7:05	10 BC 7:05	11 BC 7:05	12 LAK 6:05
13 LAK 5:05	14 OFF	15 MAD 7:05	16 MAD 7:05	17 @LAK 6:35	18 @LAK 7:05	19 @STC 6:05
20 @STC 5:05	21 ALL-STAR GAME @LAK	22 ALL-STAR GAME @LAK	23 ALL-STAR GAME @LAK	24 LAC 7:05	25 LAC 7:05	26 @MAD 6:05
27 @MAD 5:05	28 @BC 6:05	29 @BC 6:05	30* @WIS 1:05 WIS 7:05	31 @KAZ 6:05	*July 30 is a SPLIT double header played at both ballparks.	

AUGUST:

☐ AWAY ☒ HOME

SUN MON TUE WED THU					FRI	SAT
*August 5 - 2nd Annual Northwoods League Big League Dreams Showcase. Double-Header of the NWL Top 100 Prospects Voted by MLB Scouts. Game 1 @ 4:05 p.m. @MAD. Game 2 @ 7:35 p.m. @ MAD.					1 @KAZ 6:05	2 @WIR 6:05
3 WIR 5:05	4 @KEN 7:05	5 BLD* @MAD	6 @KEN 7:05	7 KEN 7:05	8 KEN 7:05	9 @WIR 6:05
10 WIR 5:05	11 NWL DIVISIONAL PLAYOFFS			14 SUMMER COLLEGIATE WORLD SERIES		
BC - Battle Creek Bombers LAC - La Crosse Loggers KAZ - Kalamazoo Growlers KEN - Kenosha Kingfish LAK - Lakeshore Chinooks MAD - Madison Mallards WIR - Wisconsin Rapids Rafter WIS - Wisconsin Woodchucks DUL - Duluth Huskies STC - St. Cloud Rox						

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